

ABNER SMITH.

JANUARY 4, 1832.

Mr. DENNY, from the Committee on Revolutionary Pensions, made the following

REPORT:

*The Committee on Revolutionary Pensions, to which was referred the petition of Abner Smith, of Westchester, New York, report:*

That petitioner states, under oath, that at the commencement of the revolutionary war, he enlisted for nine months, in the company of Captain Abijah Gilbert, in the brigade under Gen. George Clinton; that he faithfully served out the term of nine months, during which time he accompanied the army to White Plains, and was regularly discharged; that he afterwards was commissioned as sergeant of dragoons, in the company of Capt. Samuel Delavan, and served as a minute-man in said company to the end of the war: that he never received any compensation for his services from the United States, or the State of New York; is now old, in pressing want, and destitute of the necessary means of subsistence.

The statement of petitioner is corroborated by the affidavit of Daniel Delavan, of Westchester, New York. A bill for his benefit is herewith reported.

